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New Lighthouse on the Tripolitanian Coast.

From: American Consul General

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Genoa, Italy.

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The new lighthouse of Ras el Hallab, Tripolitania, was put into operation at the beginning of January, 1930. The lighthouse is situated on the east coast of the Colony, 38 miles from Tripoli and 30 miles from Homs. Its range of visibility, under average atmospheric conditions, is 13 nautical miles.

It is claimed that the addition of this new lighthouse

lighthouse, together with other improvements that are in course of execution, will render the signaling conditions of this coast sufficient for all the requirements of navigation.

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